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At the request of the Martial Arts Leader, Majeh and his band of fighters followed the Insane Hounds to the Sa Gok headquarters. But now that they're here, will they be able to battle their way out? Young and Chung Poong are hard pressed to beat a Wolf man and steel-bodied boxer impervious to pain. Meanwhile, Dohwa and Cerberus face a dark cavern of vicious living dolls. And Majeh, with only the simple-minded Crazy Dog and Insane Hounds to help him, must defeat a master of the din!

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WHO THE HELL...?

MAJEH:

When he was alive, Majeh was an extremely powerful and much-feared warrior. In death, Majeh was recruited to be a collector of souls for the King of Hell. Recently, Majeh was returned to his human form in order to destroy the escaped evil spirits for the King of Hell.

CHUNG POONG NAMGOONG:

Once branded as a coward, Chung Poong left his once-respected family hoping to prove himself at the Martial Arts Tournament in Nakyang. Broke and desperate, Chung Poong tried to rob Majeh. In a very rare moment of pity, Majeh allowed Chung Poong to live...and to tag along with him. Chung Poong was recently forced to fight—and kill—his older brother, who had been kidnapped and turned into a zombie.

DOHWA BAIK:

A vivacious vixen who often dispatches enemies with poisoned needles. Dohwa joined Majeh and Chung Poong after repeatedly humiliating the hapless trio known as the Insane Hounds. Recently, she journeyed home to retrieve a powerful, but evil, whip called the Mapyun. It's a mighty weapon that few can wield without the Mapyun's dark power overtaking them, but Dohwa seems to have mastered it, which makes her a formidable fighter.

KING OF HELL:

You were expecting horns and a pitchfork? This benevolent, otherworldly ruler reigns over the souls of the dead like a shepherd tending his flock.

SAMHUK:

Originally sent by the King of Hell to spy on the unpredictable Majeh, Samhuk was quickly discovered and now—much to his dismay—acts as the warrior's ghostly manservant.

YOUNG:

A 15-year-old sword-master possessing incredible speed, he is affiliated with Mooyoung Moon--a clan of assassins 500 strong. After seeing Majeh defeat the demon-possessed master at the martial arts tournament, Young admitted he has no interest in fighting Majeh. Not yet, at any rate.

CRAZY DOG

A young warrior skilled at fighting with a club, Majeh met and fought Crazy Dog in the Martial Arts Tournament at Nakyang, where the young warrior lost his life. He was later reanimated by the villainous Dong Sa and now goes through life with the intelligence and mannerisms of a young child.

CERBERUS

The three-headed dog that guards the entrance to the Next World. Cerberus was commanded to join Majeh and his party (much to his reluctance) by the King of Hell. With his powerful attacks and knowledge of demons and the underworld, Cerberus is a mighty ally. His attitude, on the other hand, leaves something to be desired...

THE INSANE HOUNDS

A trio of dim-witted "masters" who always seem to wind up in the thick of it. The Insane Hounds frequently seem to butt heads with Dohwa, who has defeated them on numerous occasions. They were recently granted near indestructibility after they bathed in a magical pool. (And one of them peed in it.)

What the Hell...?

Hell's worst inmates have escaped and fled to Earth. Seeking recently-deceased bodies to host their bitter souls, these malevolent master fighters are part of an evil scheme that could have dire consequences for both This World and the Next World. It is believed that the escaped fiends are hunting for bodies of martial arts experts, as only bodies trained in martial arts would be capable of properly employing their incredible skills.

To make matters even more difficult, the otherworldly energy emitted by the fugitives will dissipate within one month's time... after which, they will be indistinguishable from normal humans and undetectable to those from the Next World. The King of Hell has assigned Majeh to hunt down Hell's Most Wanted and return them to the Next World...but Majeh doesn't always do exactly what he's told.

Majeh was a master swordsman in life and, in death, he serves as an envoy for the King of Hell, escorting souls of the dead to the Next World. Majeh caught Samhuk--a servant for the King of Hell--spying on him and, after making the appropriate threats, now uses Samhuk as his own servant as well.

The King of Hell has reunited Majeh's spirit with his physical body, which was perfectly preserved for 300 years. Powerful as he is, however, Majeh can't turn back time, and his thirty-day deadline is fast approaching. Already, the energy that allows him to track the fugitives is growing thin and hard to detect. So, to assist him, the King of Hell has provided Majeh with a powerful new ally: Cerberus, the three-headed dog that guards the entrance to the Next World. With his highly refined sense of smell, Cerberus could be of great assistance to Majeh, but that doesn't mean the dog was eager to tag along with him. Yet, join him he did (after some firm prodding from the King of Hell), and now Cerberus accompanies Majeh on his journey.

Along with the young wannabe-warrior called Chung Poong Namgoong, a beautiful femme fatale named Dohwa Baik and a sword-wielding assassin named Young, Majeh and Cerberus were summoned by the martial arts master and leader of the Moorim, Mo Young. The Moorim recently sent out the well-meaning, if short-of-intellect, trio of fighters known as the Insane Hounds to locate the sinister Sa Gok organization. However, after months on the road and no word from the Hounds, it became clear that they might be in need of some rescue, and who better than our band of heroes to do it? Joining them for this mission is a friend from the past: the young and powerful martial artist known as Crazy Dog. Unfortunately, dark magic in Crazy Dog's past has rendered him mentally unstable, and now he walks and talks with the intellect of a child.

The Insane Hounds, on their grand adventure to prove themselves as heroes, met a gang of bandits who dared question their abilities as martial artists. Seeing no other way to convince them otherwise, the Hounds beat them senseless. Then the leader of the bandits informed them there is an evil place nearby if they would deign to go and reveal their heroic might to the evildoers. Without realizing they're being tricked, the Hounds followed him with their heads held high until they found themselves submerging in quicksand. Meanwhile, Majeh's crew, still hot on the Hound's heels, clashed with the same gang of bandits just as they were celebrating their "victory" over the trio. After the leader's face was pummeled in again, Majeh and crew were led to a cave they speculate to be the entrance to the Sa Gok's headquarters. But the gatekeeper of Sa Gok, with his flesh turning into stone every time a sword strikes, seems like an impossible foe to kill...

A...WOLF ...?!
WATCH OUT, YOUNG!

.....!
HE'S SO FAST!

Krrr!
STAY BACK, CHUNG DOONG
YOUNG!
HE'S MINE!
Rrrrr!

I'M NOT AFRAID OF YOU, YOU ANIMAL!
GRR!
I BACK DOWN TO NEITHER MAN NOR BEAST!
COME ON!

!!
Kraaa!
...
Hhhk!

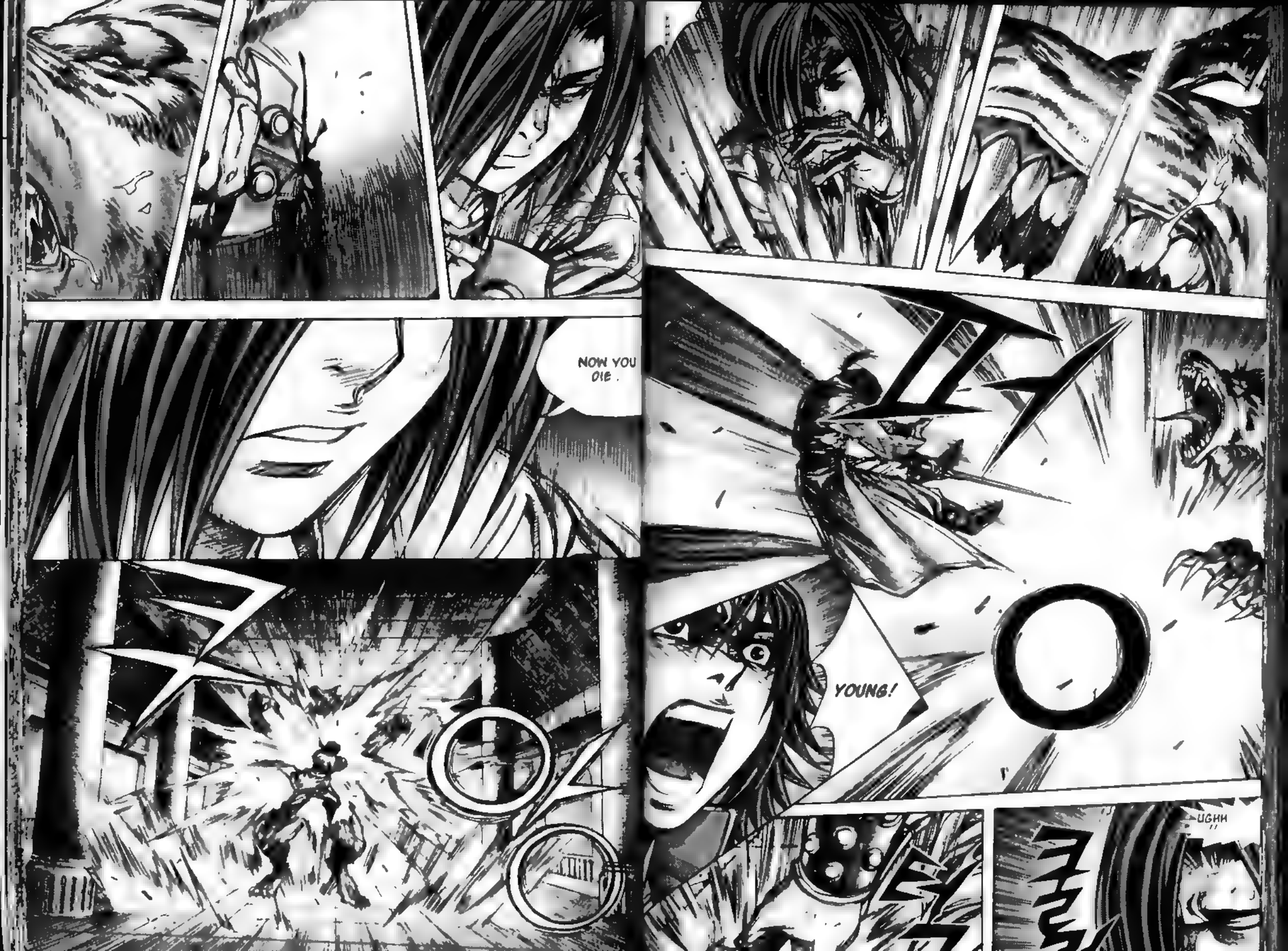
Raaar!
...!

Gaa-aa!!
NOW DIE!
...!
OOOF!

GHHAK!
YOUNG!
I'M...I'M FINE. AND I'M NOT THE ONLY ONE WHO'S INJURED.
...!
Grrrr!
Krrr...

Grrraaar!!
!

!!
DIE, DAMMIT!


NOW YOU DIE.
YOUNG!
UGHH

I'M FINE
NEVER MIND ME WHAT HAPPENED TO HIM?
IS IT OVER?
Krrr ...
IT CAN'T... BE STILL ALIVE...!
Krraaa!
!

THỤD

MY, MY. THAT WAS VERY IMPRESSIVE, YOUNG MAN!
CHUNG
BOOMG
HA! YOU SHOULD SIT BACK AND REST A BIT, YOUNG! I'LL TAKE IT FROM HERE
ALL RIGHT
SAYING YOUR FARE-WELLS!
I THOUGHT YOU CHILDREN WOULD BE EASY PREY OBVIOUSLY, I WAS WRONG!
TA
BU
HA! IT'LL BE YOUR FAREWELL!

YOU SEE I'M NOT A SHAPE SHIFTER I'M A STRENGTH SHIFTER!
STRENGTH SHIFTER ?
YOU'LL SEE
BUT YOU SHOULD KNOW I PLAN TO TAKE YOU DOWN NO MATTER WHAT SHAPE YOU TAKE!
HOW SOLID! TOUGH YOU BUT DON'T WORRY LITTLE BOY BECAUSE I DON'T TRANSFORM
...!

WHAT'S HAPPENING ?!
!
TH-THIS IS
AW, WHERE THE HECK AM I?
IS IS ANYBODY THERE?
WHOA!
Grrr...

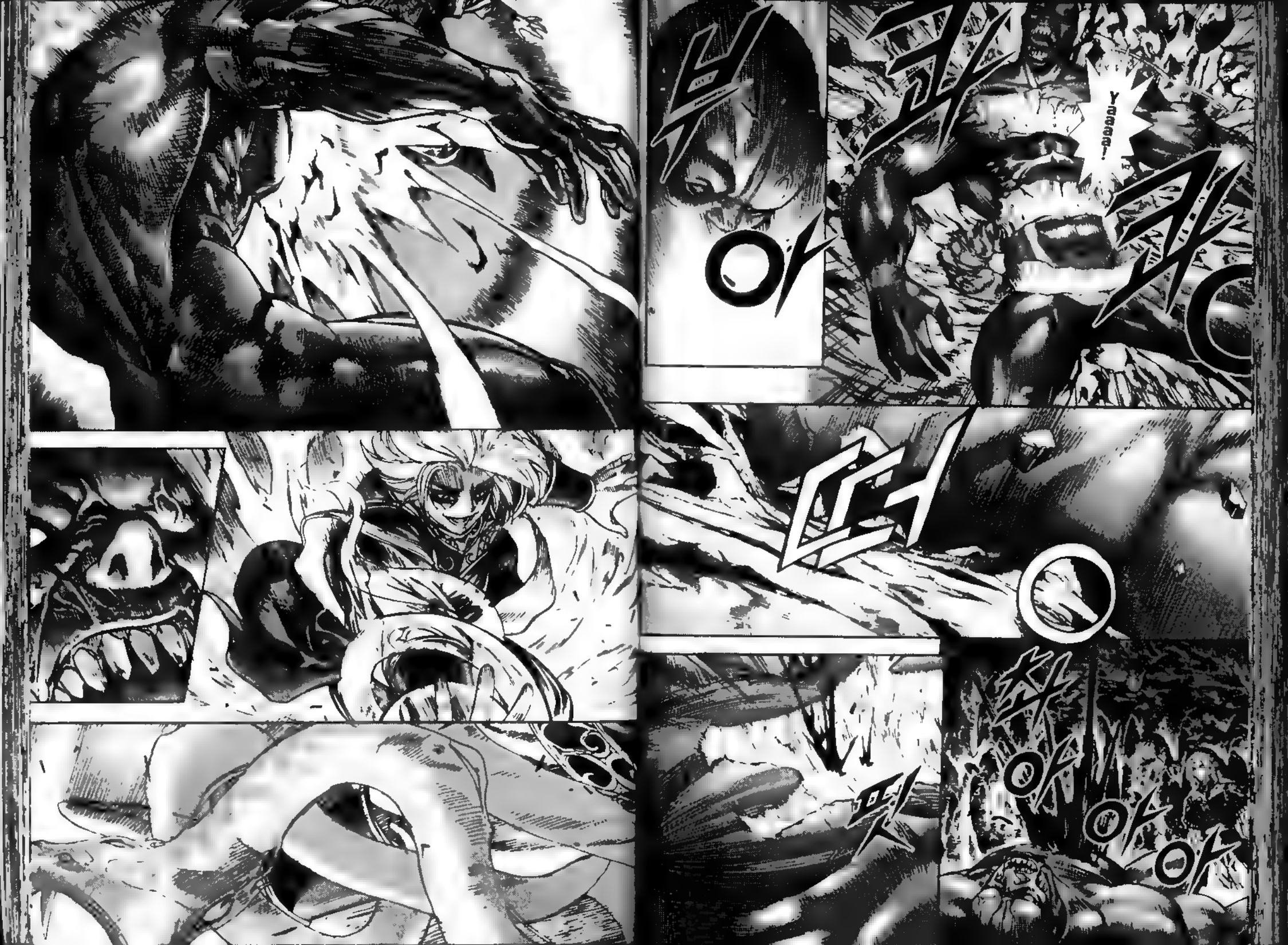
AWOOO!
WH-WHAT IS THIS PLACE?!
!
KEK!

THIS IS GETTING REALLY ANNOY-ING.
PAY ATTENTION, DONNA! THERE'S MORE THAN ONE OF THEM!
WOULD IT KILL THEM TO JUST LET US PASS THROUGH?!
I'M AFRAID THERE ARE TOO MANY OF THEM, CERBERUS
PFFT! THEN MAYBE YOU SHOULD TRY USING YOUR FEMININE CHARMS TO OVERCOME THEM!

HEY THERE, BIG BOYS...
Bwaaa!
ARE YOU NUTS?! I DION'T MEAN FOR YOU TO REALLY DO IT!
THEN WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO DO?!
WHAT...WHAT KIND OF MONSTER IS THAT?!

Kaaaaar!
SWITCH, KID!
BJT HYUR
NOW!
I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU'RE FRIGHTENED BY SUCH A PUNY THING! LET ME TAKE OVER!
Kwaaar!

Kahk!
...!
YOU MAY HAVE SCARED MY OTHER SELF, BEAST, BUT NOT ME!
THE SNAKE HAND WILL KILL YOU!


Yaaaa!
하아
하아
빈다
하아아아아
끼!

HMM
THIS PLACE IS ALWAYS SO CLUTTERED!
MY APOLOGIES, MY LORD.
SO WHAT'S SO IMPORTANT THAT I HAD TO COME DOWN TO THIS STY?
WELCOME, MY LORD!

HEH HEH! PLEASE...COME LOOK AS THIS.
IT APPEARS WE HAVE SOME TRESPASSERS IN OUR SOUTHERN WING!
AHH! THERE YOU ARE!
LITTLE DOHWA...
.....
KYAAA!
...!
!

AIM FOR THEIR HEADS!
HUMPH!
THAT'S EASIER SAID THAN DONE!
HEH HEH! HOW VERY...VERY... ENTERTAINING.
HI

KING
HELL

HA!
!!

I KNOW THAT, THANK YOU!
....!

HMM. NOT BAD
HEH HEH!
IT'S FUTILE, BOY! YOUR SWORD IS USELESS AGAINST A BODY LIKE MINE!
HHNN.
HOO HOO!

LET'S SEE HOW LONG YOU CAN KEEP BLOCKING MY ATTACKS
HE'S...TOO STRONG!
KHHK!
...!
HA!

GIVE IN
SHUT UP!
NICE TRY, BOY.
HOW VERY CUTE!

OOMPH!
UHK
AHHH...
AAAA!
TAK
!

YOU'RE TOO WEAK, CHILD!
KHH
NO
I'M...NOT WEAK!
HEE HEE! FALSE BRAVADO WON'T MAKE YOUR DEATH ANY LESS CERTAIN!
.....
COME!
GAAAA!!
OF

HUH?
IF YOU WERE ANY SLOWER, I'D FALL ASLEEP
TRY SLEEPING THROUGH MY THOUSAND WIND ATTACK!

HEE HEE...!
!
IT'S USELESS, LITTLE BOY
ABSOLUTELY NOTHING CAN DAMAGE MY STEEL-LIKE BODY!
NO...!
THAT'S... IMPOSSIBLE!
I SUGGEST YOU GIVE UP!
NEVER!

I TOLD YOU TO GIVE UP!
CHUNG POONG!
HUFF HUFF...
CHUNG POONG!
JUST LIKE YOU...YOUNG...

I'M...NOT BACKING DOWN!
...!
IS INVINCIBLE!
.....
WHETHER HE'S MADE OF STEEL. OR STONE.
...I'M GOING TO POUND AWAY AT HIM UNTIL HE CRUMBLES!
ATTACK
ALL RIGHT! GO GET HIM, POONG!
HOO HOO... WHO DO YOU THINK YOU'RE FOOLING?!
RRAAA!
MY SKIN...

!
CHAA!
…!

YOU'RE SLIPPERY AS AN EEL, BOY!
HA!
BE CAREFUL, CHUNG POONG!

HE'S NEARLY AS FAST AS HE IS STRONG!
YEGGS!
I'M SURE THE CHILD DID NOT COME HERE ALONE
COMMANDER SOUTH! GET READY TO WELCOME OUR GUESTS
LEAVE IT TO ME, YOUR MAJESTY.
GREAT...JUST GREAT...
HUH...! DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!
ARE YOU SCARED YET, LITTLE BOY?
I DON'T KNOW THE MEANING OF "SCARED"
HEE HEE HEE...!
SPPA

AAAA!
GHAAA!!
HMM
STOP! IT HURTS! IT HURTS!
DAMMIT. ANOTHER FAILURE! PERHAPS THE FORMULA WAS CONTAMI-NATED?!

COM-
MANDER
NORTH!
WHY, IF
IT ISN'T THE
MIDGET OF
THE SOUTH!
DAMMIT--
IF YOU
CALL ME A
MIDGET ONE
MORE TIME,
I'M GOING
TO RIP
OUT YOUR
TONGUE!
HEH HEH HEH...
OUR LEADER HAS
REQUESTED THAT
WE ENTERTAIN SOME
MICE WHO HAVE
ENTERED OUR REALM!
AHH...! WHAT
UNEXPECTEDLY
GOOD NEWS!
!

I TOLD YOU THAT IT WAS FUTILE!
I DON'T BELIEVE IT!
!

!
HA!
Thud

AHUUK!
KOFF!
HEH HEH...! NOW DO YOU UNDERSTAND? DO YOU GRASP THE FUTILITY OF YOUR EFFORTS...?
DAMN YOU!
AH HA!
I WILL NEVER GIVE UP YOU BAS-TARD!
BOY, AN ATTITUDE LIKE THAT...
...WILL COST YOU YOUR LIFE!

SUCH A FOOL
BUT WHETHER YOU FIGHT OR NOT, I STILL INTEND TO KILL YOU!
CHUNG POONG!
LHHN ...
GAAA
HA...!

D-DAMMIT
MY...MY SWORD CAN'T EVEN SCRATCH HIM!
I TOLD YOU, IT'S USE-LESS! JUST ACCEPT IT!
I... I...
I...I...CAN'T... DO...IT...

EXACTLY!
OOCHUN...
I'VE...COMMITTED A TERRIBLE SIN AGAINST YOU...

BACK THEN
BACK THEN I
I..I SHOULDN'T HAVE BROUGHT YOU TWO SIBLINGS HERE...
GET A HOLD OF YOURSELF, CHUNG POONG!
YOU CAN'T GIVE UP!
YOUNG..?
YOU'RE ACTING LIKE A FOOL!
I'M SORRY
BUT...

BUT MY SWORD...CAN'T EVEN HURT HIM..
SNAP OUT OF IT, YOU IDIOT!
IF MAJEH COULD SEE YOU NOW, YOU KNOW WHAT HE WOULD SAY?
BELIEVE IN YOUR SWORD--THE SWORD OF THE NAM GOONG CLAN!
!
BE-LIEVE... IN MY SWORD ...?
NAM... GOONG... CLAN'S SWORD...
CHUNG POONG... DON'T GIVE UP YET.
.....
NAM GOONG CLAN'S... SWORD...!

YOU'RE AWESOME, DAD!
HA!
YOU LITTLE RASCAL! HAVE YOU BEEN SITTING THERE WATCHING ME INSTEAD OF PRACTICING WITH YOUR OWN SWORD?
HMPH! I'VE BEEN PRACTICING REALLY HARD, TOO, DAD!
WOW!
YOU WOULDN'T DARE BE SLACKING OFF NOW, WOULD YOU, CHUNG POONG?!
HONEST, DAD, I'VE BEEN WORKING REALLY HARD!

I'VE GOTTEN SO GOOD THAT NOW YOU ONLY SEE THREE BLADES WHEN I USE THE THOUSAND WIND ATTACK
DAD, CAN YOU SHOW ME YOUR THOUSAND WIND ATTACK?
HMM
HRMM
HMM .
ALL RIGHT!
PLEASE?
YAY!

THOU-
SAND
WIND
ATTACK!
THREE
BLADES
?

DID YOU GET
A GOOD LOOK,
POONG?
I DON'T GET IT,
DAD HOW COME
YOUR ATTACK ONLY
REDUCED THE SWORD
TO THREE BLADES
JUST LIKE MINE?
HA
HA!

POONG...
WHAT ARE
THE QUALITIES
POSSESSED BY
THE NAM GOONG
CLAN'S SWORD?

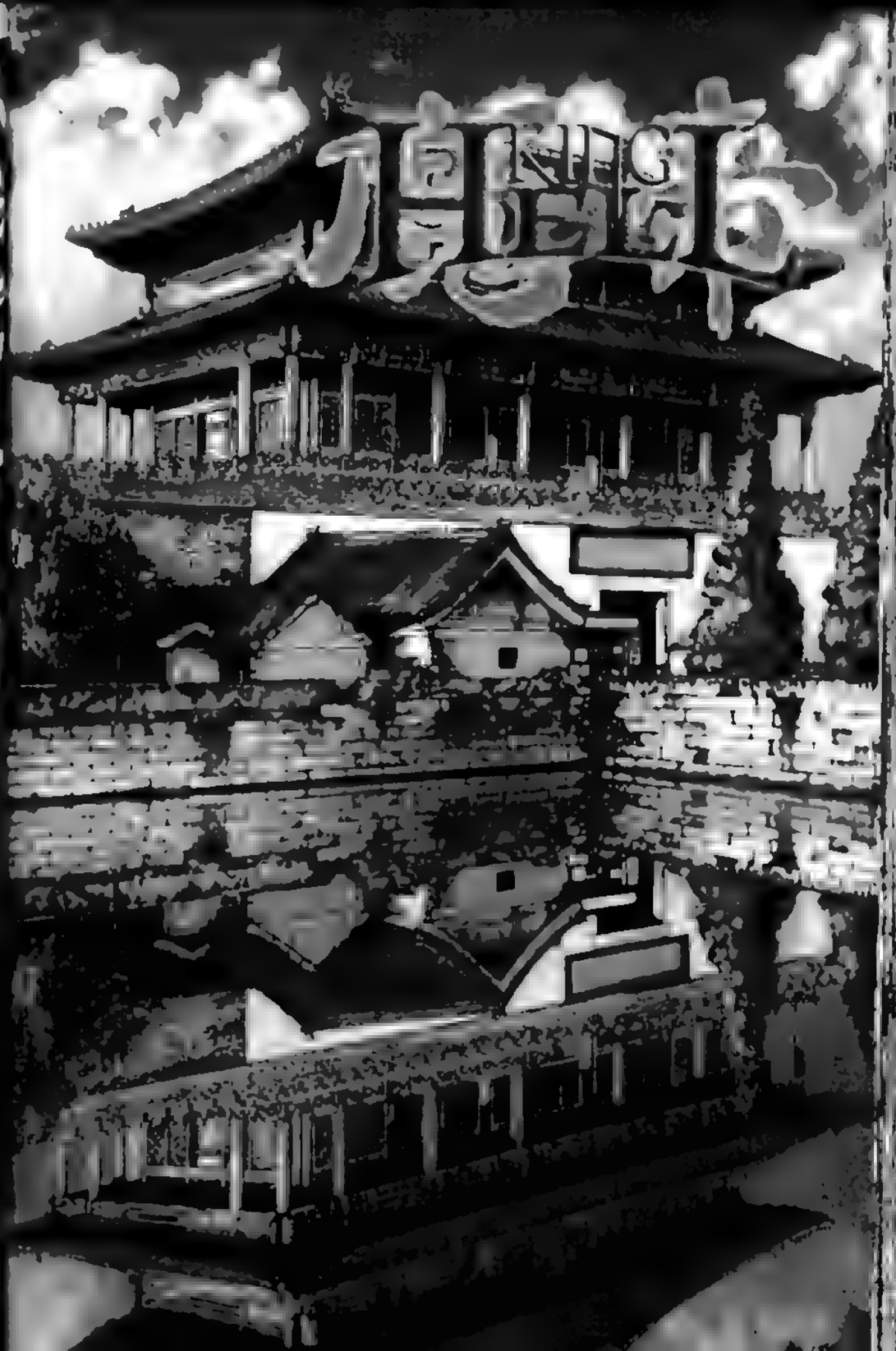
THE SWORD'S... QUALI-TIES?
.....
WELL...IT'S HEAVY...
AND IT'S KNOWN AS THE SWORD OF BALANCE!
THAT'S RIGHT!
BUT...ONLY HALF RIGHT.
IT IS HEAVY...BUT IT'S ALSO..
...?!

...LIGHT!
HUH?!
IT'S NOT THE TECHNIQUE THAT CAUSES THE SWORD TO MANIFEST MULTIPLE BLADES...
...IT'S THE SWORD'S LIGHTNESS!
THE SWORD TRANSFORMS WITH THE THOUSAND WIND ATTACK!
THE REAL PURPOSE OF THE THOUSAND WIND ATTACK...

IS TO TRANSCEND THE HEAVINESS OF THE SWORD AND BECOME ONE WITH ITS LIGHTNESS, BRINGING ALL THE MULTIPLE BLADES TOGETHER INTO ONE BALANCED BLADE
BUT...BUT HOW?
HA HA! THAT I CAN'T TELL YOU, SON, SINCE I'VE ONLY BEEN ABLE TO BRING THE NUMBER OF BLADES DOWN TO THREE
I'D LIKE THAT VERY MUCH
THERE IS AN OLD SAYING YOU SHOULD KEEP IN MIND YOUNG
"WIND FROM THE PERFECT HEAVENS"...
I FEEL THAT'S PROBABLY THE BEST I'LL EVER ACHIEVE.
...
BUT MAYBE..SOME DAY.. YOU WILL FIND THE ANSWER, SON. YOU WILL MASTER THE THOUSAND WIND ATTACK.
..."HAS NOTHING IT CANNOT CRUSH...AND NOTHING IT CANNOT CUT!"
!

AND THE RESONATING SOUND IS WHAT CREATES THE MANY BLADES!
WHAT ARE YOU MUMBLING?
IF...I CAN CUT THE VERY WIND ITSELF..
HAVE YOU FINALLY GIVEN UP, BOY?
THE THOUSAND WIND ATTACK TRANSFORMS THE SWORD... THE HEAVIER THE SWORD, THE MORE BLADES THERE ARE.
...?
THE HEAVY SWORD...IS RESISTED BY THE FORCE OF WIND CURRENTS, WHICH IN TURN CAUSE THE SWORD TO RESONATE ..

I...HAVEN'T GIVEN UP YET!
YOU FOOL!
THAT'S IT, POONG! THAT'S THE SPIRIT!
NOW IT'S MY TURN!


JIEUN

YOU THREE INSANE HOUNDS CAN GO BACK HOME NOW!
WHAT?!
FAT CHANCE!
SIGH..
AFTER ALL THAT WE'VE SUFFERED THROUGH, YOU'RE TELLING US TO GO HOME?!

WE REFUSE!
YEAH!
WE'RE ON TO YOU, MAJEH! YOU WANT TO GET ALL THE GLORY FOR YOURSELF, DON'T YOU?!
JEEZ...
HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN YOUR ORDERS, YOU IDIOTS?!
NOT ON YOUR LIFE!
WE'RE HERE TO LOCATE THE SA GOK'S HEAD-QUARTERS!
RIGHT. AND NOW THAT YOU'VE LOCATED IT, YOU MUST GO BACK AND REPORT IT TO MARTIAL ARTS LEADER MO YOUNG!
.....
YOU'RE RIGHT ..
THEN GET GOING!

MO YOUNG MUST BE REALLY SHORT OF MEN IF HE HAS TO RELY ON THOSE THREE MORONS!
WHAT'S A MORON, BIG BROTHER?
THAT'S SOMEONE WHO'S DUMBER THAN A DOOR-KNOB, CRAZY DOG.
TAP
TAP
RRRRR...DAMMIT!
WHERE DO WE GO NOW?
DUNNO! I'M LOST!
HEY, WOW, LISTEN TO THAT PRETTY MUSIC!
.....
LET'S GO THAT WAY!
OKAY!

NOT LIKELY!
I'M GOING TO CUT YOU DOWN TO SIZE!
USE ALL MY STRENGTH...

...TRUST THE SWORD...
...AND OBLITERATE...
...THE WIND!
THOUSAND WIND ATTACK!!

HUH?! THE BLADES DIDN'T REDUCE IN NUMBER!
THAT WAS AMAZING, POONG! WAS THAT THE TRUE MANIFESTATION OF THE THOUSAND WIND ATTACK?
NO
...?
IT WAS DEFINITELY STRONGER THAN BEFORE BUT IT WASN'T THE TRUE THOUSAND WIND ATTACK
AHH..
...!
DAMN!
YOU'RE RIGHT, PUP... THAT WAS QUITE AN ATTACK!

YOU CAN DO IT, CHUNG POONG! HE'S ACTING FINE, BUT HE'S GOT TO BE IN A LOT OF PAIN!
DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!
YOU SEE...
I DON'T KNOW HOW TO FEEL PAIN!
WHAT?!
...!
THANKS TO THE BENE-VOLENCE OF MY MASTER
...I GAINED A BODY THAT CANNOT FEEL PAIN...AND THAT IS AS HARD AS STEEL!
YOU... YOU'RE A MONSTER!
HEH!
DO YOU UNDERSTAND NOW? NO MATTER HOW HARD YOU TRY, YOU CAN'T DEFEAT ME!
N-NO...
CHUNG POONG!
HA!

CHUNG POONG
AND NOW...IT ENDS.
GET AWAY FROM HIM!
.....
I...HAVE...
NO. IT'S OVER...
..ALWAYS RUN AWAY FROM THOSE I COULDN'T DEFEAT.
AND ONLY STOOD FIRM AGAINST THOSE WHO WERE WEAKER THAN ME
ALWAYS, I RAN AWAY FROM THOSE WHO WERE STRONGER.
YES, BOY. IT IS OVER...
...FOR YOU!

CHUNG POONG!
YOU JERK! HOW CAN YOU SCARE ME LIKE THAT...?
DON'T BLOW YOUR TOP, YOUNG.
I'VE...FINALLY FIGURED IT OUT, THAT'S ALL.
WHEN I RUN AWAY OUR ENTIRE NAM GOONG CLAN IS RUNNING AWAY AND IF I FALL, THIS NAM GOONG SWORD IS BEATEN

BUT WHETHER I WIN OR LOSE.. I WILL NOT RUN AWAY-- EVER AGAIN!
IF I HAVE TO CHOOSE MY DYING PLACE...
...THEN LET IT BE HERE!
.....

HERE...
...AND WITH MY SWORD IN HAND!

KAA!!
NNNG!

!
HAH!
YAAA!
!
D-DAMN

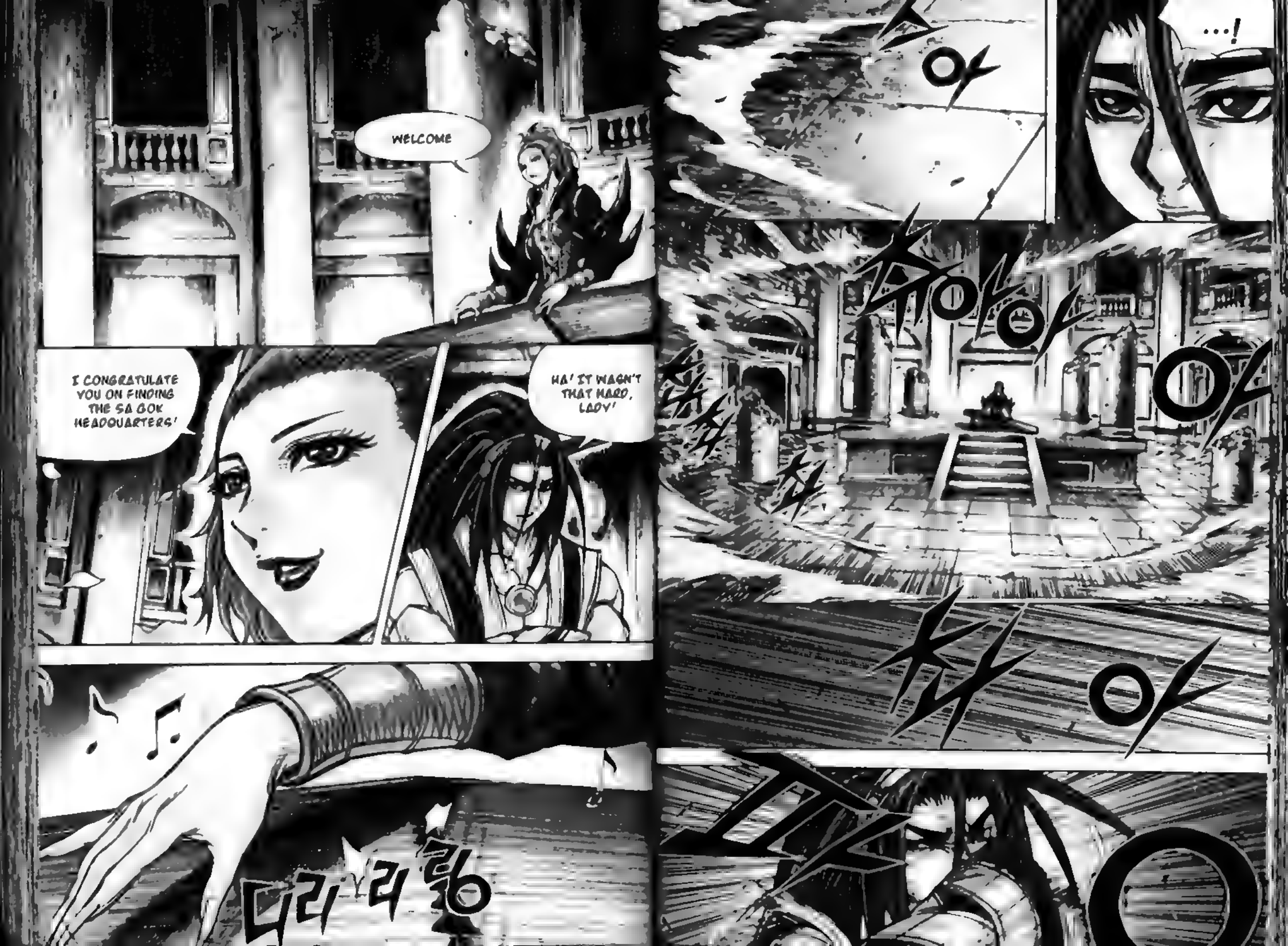
HA ! THAT DIDN'T HURT AT ALL, TOUGH GUY!
YOU'VE GOT QUITE A MOUTH ON YOU, BOY BUT YOU CAN'T BEAT ME WITH WORDS
.....
CHAAA!

…!
KHHK!
PFT!

...!
CHUNG POONG!
I WON'T RUN AWAY
KAAAA!
Stagger
Stagger
IS THAT ALL YOU'VE GOT? THAT HARDLY TICKLED

PATHETIC!
IT'S TIME TO END YOUR MISERY
DON'T... MAKE ME... LAUGH...
DIE !!
DIE NOW!
Stomp
Stomp

HUH?


WELCOME
I CONGRATULATE YOU ON FINDING THE SA GOK HEADQUARTERS!
HA! IT WASN'T THAT HARD, LADY!
...!

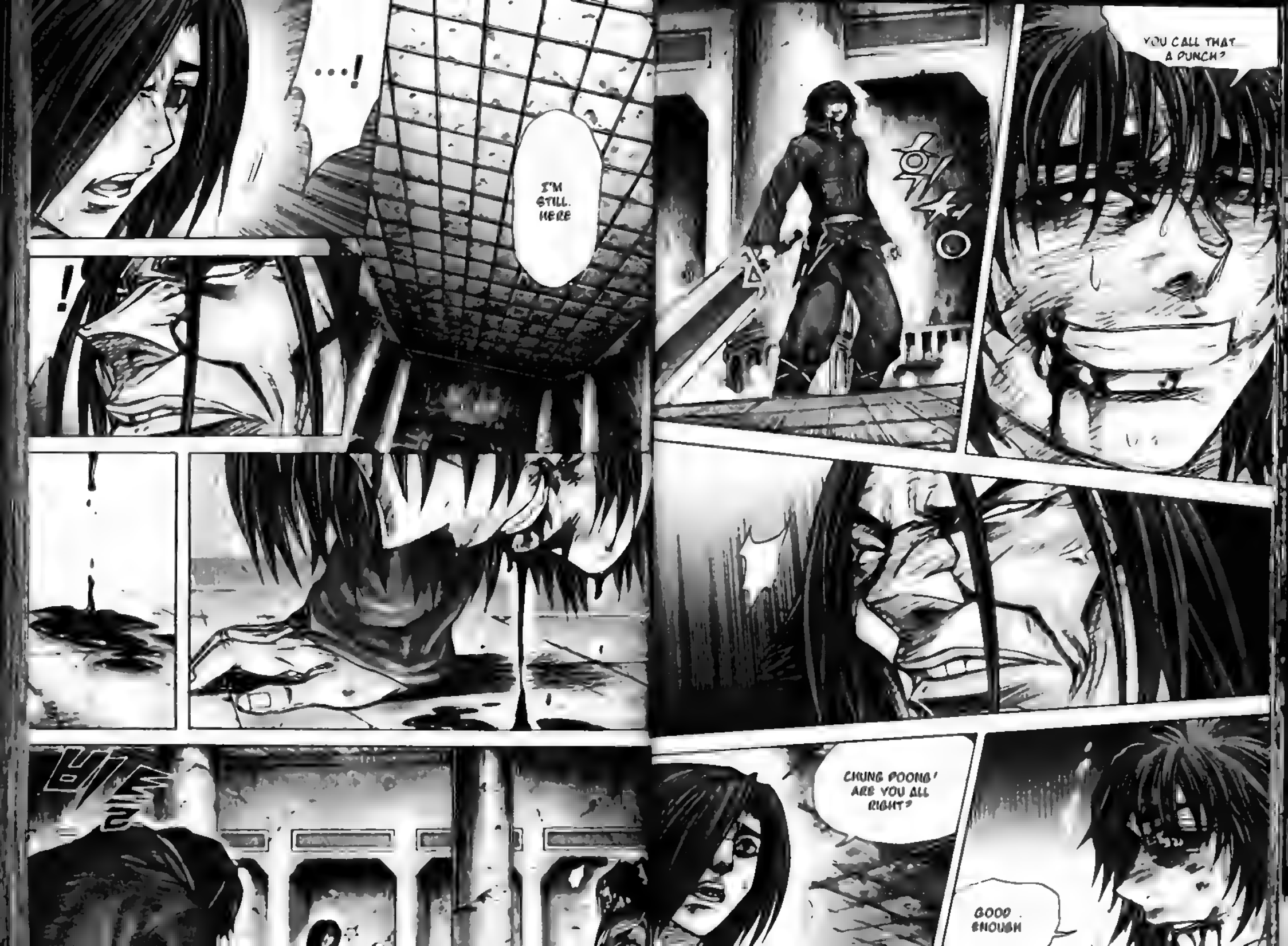
SONIC ATTACK?
TEE HEE!
THE SA GOK HEADQUARTERS IS A PLACE YOU CAN EASILY ENTER...BUT CANNOT SO EASILY LEAVE!
.....
Stomp
Stomp
...!
Stomp
Stomp
!
HEE HEE
.....
I TOLD YOU TO GO BACK! WHY DID YOU IDIOTS FOLLOW ME?!
HA! JUST AS WE THOUGHT!

WE KNEW THIS WOULD HAPPEN!
...?
YOU WANTED TO KEEP THAT GOOD LOOKING WOMAN ALL TO YOURSELF, DIDN'T YOU?!
WATCH OUT!
EH?
.....
WHA ?
Thwak
ERRK!
I LOVE YOU, MADAM!
ME, TOO, MY LADY!
LOOOVE YOU!
I GUESS I WAS WRONG ABOUT THEM... THEY'RE TOO DUMB TO BE IDIOTS!
Ting
...!
ARE YOU GUYS ALL RIGHT?
OOOH!

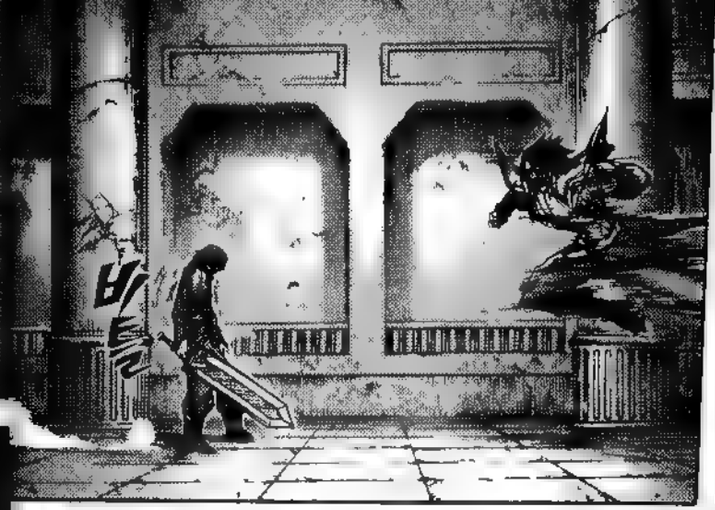
WE'RE FINE!
NOTHING CAN HURT
THE THREE INSANE HOUNDS!
YOU DON'T NECESSARILY HAVE TO BE ALIVE FOR THAT!
OFFT!
RIIIGHT
GODS HELP US
UHHK
DARN IT
YA KNOW I'M STARTING TO SUSPECT SHE'S JUST A SAGOK WITCH!
YA THINK?!!
I MUST TAKE ALL OF YOU TO MY MASTER!
WE'RE GOING TO MAKE YOU PAY, LADY
TERRIBLE WENCH!
TER-RIBLE
AAAAH! WOULD YOU GOONG JUST-- LEAVE?!
NOPE!!

HOW...ADORABLE.
STOP, YOU IDIOTS!

CHUNG POONG!
HEH HEH...
DAMN...YOU...!
HO! IS IT YOUR TURN NOW?
YOU'LL LIVE TO REGRET WHAT YOU DID TO POONG!
TAKE YOUR BEST SHOT, BOY!
HEY...!


...!
I'M STILL HERE
!
!
YOU CALL THAT A PUNCH?
CHUNG POONG! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
GOOD ENOUGH

I DON'T THINK I CAN BE KILLED BY A GIRLY BOY LIKE YOU!
DAMN YOU, BOY!
YOU'RE DEAD!!

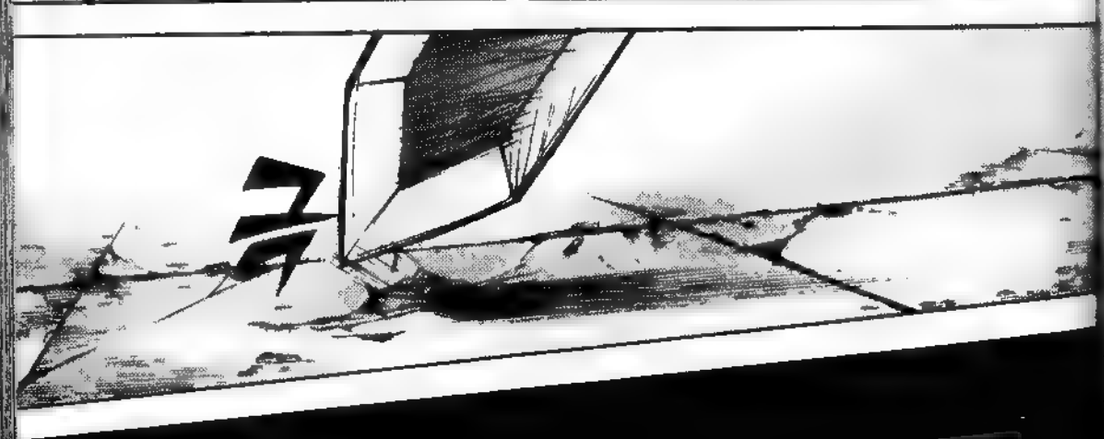


I WON'T DIE... ON MY KNEES...

I HAVE...NO MORE STRENGTH...

...I'M GOING...TO BE...

I WON'T...DIE...



EVEN IF I DO DIE HERE...

THE SWORD... IS...SO... HEAVY...
NO. IT'S
...IT'S... LIGHT!!
THOUSAND WIND...
...AT-TACK!

STILL...NOT...ENOUGH.
!
!
HUH! IF YOU...EVER...QUESTION MY COURAGE AGAIN, MAJOR...I'M GOING...TO BE...REALLY...PISSED...
HA!

BWAHAHAHA!
SHFF
IT'S. .IT'S NOT POSSIBLE!
AAAAAGH!!

YOU WERE AWESOME, POONG!
CHUNG POONG... YOU...
YOU...WON!

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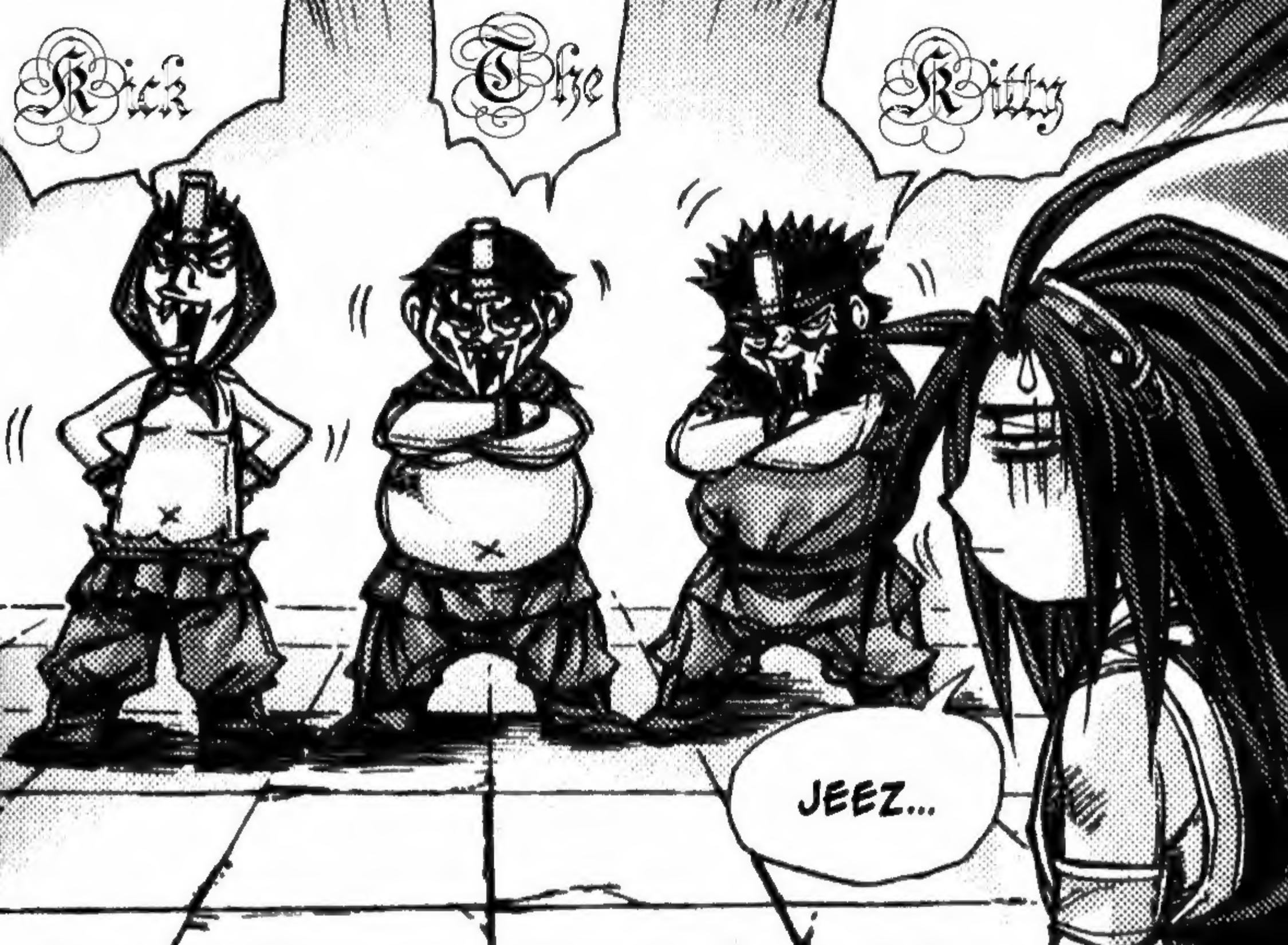
Rick
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Kitty
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